

PUBLIC NOTICE

State of South Carolina (SC)
Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC)
Bureau of Air Quality (BAQ)
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Columbia, SC 29201
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NOTICE OF PROPOSED SIGNIFICANT MODIFICATIONS TO AN EXISTING PART 70 AIR QUALITY (TITLE V OPERATING) PERMIT

**MICHELIN NORTH AMERICA, INC. (US5)
2420 TWO NOTCH ROAD
LEXINGTON, SOUTH CAROLINA
(LEXINGTON COUNTY / REGION 3 COLUMBIA EQC OFFICE)
AIR PERMIT NO. TV-1560-0042**

Michelin North America, Inc. – US5 (Michelin) has applied to the SC DHEC for a significant modification to the existing Pat 70 Air Quality (Title V Operating) Permit for this facility. Draft Revised Title V Operating Permit and Engineering Calculation (Green) Sheets have been written by the BAQ incorporating and outlining the proposed project and applicable regulations. The draft revised permit includes the following:

?? To install anemometers on the PAX lines' and certain tire building units' duct work to allow the facility to reduce its capture testing frequency on these units from annually to every five years.

If approved, the draft revised Title V Operating Permit will enable this facility to continue to operate as a major source in accordance with SC DHEC Regulation 61-62.70 "Title V Operating Permit Program." All emissions limitations and conditions contained in the draft revised permit have been written to ensure that this facility operates within the requirements of the Title V Operating Permit Program for the State of South Carolina. The draft significant modifications have not yet been approved and is open to comment from the public and the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Interested persons may review the materials drafted and maintained by DHEC for this facility and submit written comments on the draft permit by October 13, 2006 to Mr. Matthew L. Gibbs at the above DHEC address. All comments received by October 13, 2006 will be considered when making a decision to approve, disapprove, or modify the draft permit. Where there is a significant amount of public interest, DHEC may hold a public hearing to receive additional comments. Public hearing requests should be made in writing to Donna Moye at the above DHEC address or by e-mail at moyedd@dhec.sc.gov. If a public hearing is requested and held, notice will be given in this newspaper thirty (30) days in advance. A request for a final review may be filed after a permit decision has been made. Information regarding appeal procedures is available from DHEC's legal office at the above address or by calling (803) 898-3350. Information relative to the draft permit will be made available for review through October 13, 2006 at the DHEC Columbia Office listed above.

The BAQ maintains a county-based mailing list for persons interested in receiving notification of BAQ public notice actions. If you would like to be added to this list, please submit a request with your name, address, and counties of interest to Donna Moye at the above DHEC address or e-mail. Information on permit decisions and hearing procedures is available by contacting DHEC at either address listed above. Copies of a draft permit or other related documents must be requested in writing at a \$.25 per page charge. Please bring this notice to the attention of persons you know will be interested in this matter.

This public notice may be viewed through October 13, 2006 on DHEC's website at:
<http://www.scdhec.gov/eqc/baq/publicnote/html/eqpnbaq.asp>